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## SENATE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE ENGROSSED NO. **SB5** - 2/8/00

**This bill has been extensively amended (hoghoused) and may no longer be consistent with the original intention of the sponsors.**

Introduced by: Senator Drake and Representatives Monroe, Fryslie, Peterson, Volesky, and Weber at the request of the Interim Health Insurance Committee

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to require certain reforms of health benefit plans issued  
2 before July 1, 1996.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 Section 1. Any health benefit plan issued before July 1, 1996, is subject to the rating  
5 limitations provided in this section. For a class of business, the premium rates charged during a  
6 rating period to individuals with similar case characteristics for the same or similar coverage, or  
7 the rates that could be charged to such individuals under the rating system for that class of  
8 business, may not exceed three times the base premium rate after July 1, 2001, two and one-half  
9 times the base premium rate after July 1, 2003, and two times the base premium rate after July 1,  
10 2005.

1    **BILL HISTORY**

2    1/11/00 First read in Senate and referred to Health and Human Services. S.J. 14

3    1/15/00 Scheduled for Committee hearing on this date.

4    1/15/00 Deferred by Chair.

5    1/24/00 Scheduled for Committee hearing on this date.

6    1/24/00 Deferred by Chair.

7    1/26/00 Scheduled for Committee hearing on this date.

8    1/26/00 Deferred by Chair.

9    2/7/00 Health and Human Services Hog Housed.

10   2/7/00 Scheduled for Committee hearing on this date.

11   2/7/00 Health and Human Services Do Pass Amended, Passed, AYES 5, NAYS 1. S.J. 337